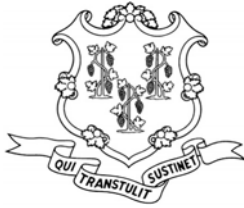


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COMMITTEE ACTION REPORT

The following is a list of bills acted upon by committee during the period 02/20/2006 to 02/24/2006:

Appropriations

H.R. No. 3 (File No. 3) RESOLUTION PROPOSING APPROVAL OF A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT AND THE UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYEES ASSOCIATION (UCPEA).

02/22/2006 House Favorable

H.R. No. 4 (File No. 4) RESOLUTION PROPOSING APPROVAL OF A WAGE REOPENER AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM AND THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF UNIVERSITY PROFESSORS (AAUP).

02/22/2006 House Favorable

S.R. No. 5 (File No. 1) RESOLUTION PROPOSING APPROVAL OF A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT AND THE UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYEES ASSOCIATION (UCPEA).

02/22/2006 Senate Favorable

S.R. No. 6 (File No. 2) RESOLUTION PROPOSING APPROVAL OF A WAGE REOPENER AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM AND THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF UNIVERSITY PROFESSORS (AAUP).

02/22/2006 Senate Favorable

Banks

No Committee Actions Reported.

Commerce

Proposed H.B. No. 5317 AN ACT CONCERNING A SALES TAX EXEMPTION FOR HUBZONE BUSINESSES.

02/23/2006 Reserved for Subject Matter Public Hearing

Proposed S.B. No. 92 AN ACT CONCERNING APPROPRIATIONS FOR AMISTAD AMERICA, INC.

02/23/2006 Reserved for Subject Matter Public Hearing

Proposed S.B. No. 233 AN ACT AUTHORIZING BONDS OF THE STATE FOR TOURISM DISTRICTS.

02/23/2006 Reserved for Subject Matter Public Hearing

Education

Proposed H.B. No. 5075 AN ACT CONCERNING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A SCHOOL-BASED HEALTH CENTER AT BARNARD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN NEW HAVEN.

02/22/2006 Change of Reference to Public Health

Proposed H.B. No. 5076 AN ACT ESTABLISHING A COST-OF-LIVING ADJUSTMENT FOR SCHOOL-BASED HEALTH CENTERS.

02/22/2006 Change of Reference to Public Health

Proposed H.B. No. 5097 AN ACT CONCERNING FUNDING FOR DEVELOPMENT OF EDUCATIONAL AVIATION FACILITIES.

02/22/2006 Change of Reference to Finance, Revenue and Bonding

Proposed H.B. No. 5098 AN ACT APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR THE OLD STATE HOUSE IN HARTFORD.

02/22/2006 Change of Reference to Appropriations

Proposed H.B. No. 5101 AN ACT CONCERNING SCHOOL BASED HEALTH CENTERS.

02/22/2006 Change of Reference to Public Health

Proposed S.B. No. 260 AN ACT AUTHORIZING BONDS OF THE STATE FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS IN NORTH STONINGTON TO BE CONNECTED TO THE PUBLIC WATER SUPPLY.

02/22/2006 Change of Reference to Planning and Development

Energy and Technology

No Committee Actions Reported.

Environment

No Committee Actions Reported.

Executive and Legislative Nominations

No Committee Actions Reported.

Finance, Revenue and Bonding

No Committee Actions Reported.

General Law

Proposed H.B. No. 5432 AN ACT INCREASING APPROPRIATIONS TO THE UNIFORM TRADE PRACTICES DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION.

02/23/2006 Change of Reference to Appropriations

Government Administration and Elections

No Committee Actions Reported.

Higher Education and Employment Advancement

Substitute for H.B. No. 5023 (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING ELIGIBILITY FOR THE APPRENTICESHIP TRAINING TAX CREDIT.

02/23/2006 Joint Favorable Substitute Change of Reference to Finance, Revenue and Bonding

Substitute for H.B. No. 5079 (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING THE ADVANCED STUDY IN MATHEMATICS AND SCIENCE INITIATIVE.

02/23/2006 Joint Favorable Substitute Change of Reference to Appropriations

Proposed H.B. No. 5363 AN ACT CONCERNING AN INCREASE IN THE BOND AUTHORIZATION FOR GOODWIN COLLEGE.

02/23/2006 Reserved for Subject Matter Public Hearing

Proposed H.B. No. 5365 AN ACT REINSTATING THE SUMMER YOUTH EMPLOYMENT APPROPRIATION.

02/23/2006 Reserved for Subject Matter Public Hearing

S.B. No. 14 (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE COMMUNITY-TECHNICAL COLLEGES.

02/23/2006 Joint Favorable Change of Reference to Government Administration and Elections

S.B. No. 15 (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING A STUDY OF THE NEED FOR SKILLED WELDERS.

02/23/2006 Joint Favorable Change of Reference to Joint Committee on Legislative Management

Human Services

Proposed H.B. No. 5190 AN ACT PROVIDING STATE GRANTS IN LIEU OF TAXES FOR CERTAIN NONPROFIT HUMAN SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS.

02/21/2006 Change of Reference to Finance, Revenue and Bonding

Proposed S.B. No. 150 AN ACT PROVIDING ADDITIONAL FUNDING FOR THE CHRONIC GAMBLERS TREATMENT AND REHABILITATION ACCOUNT.

02/21/2006 Change of Reference to Public Health

Human Services (Continued)

Proposed S.B. No. 151 AN ACT CONCERNING AN INCOME TAX DEDUCTION FOR THE PURCHASE OF LONG-TERM CARE INSURANCE.

02/21/2006 Change of Reference to Finance, Revenue and Bonding

Insurance and Real Estate

No Committee Actions Reported.

Joint Committee on Legislative Management

No Committee Actions Reported.

Judiciary

No Committee Actions Reported.

Labor and Public Employees

H.B. No. 5031 (RAISED) AN ACT ELIMINATING THE STANDARD WAGE CONTRACT THRESHOLD.

02/23/2006 Joint Favorable Change of Reference to Government Administration and Elections

H.B. No. 5034 (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING CONSTRUCTION SAFETY.

02/23/2006 Joint Favorable Change of Reference to Government Administration and Elections

H.B. No. 5036 (RAISED) AN ACT ALLOWING RETENTION OF PAID VACATIONS DAYS.

02/23/2006 Joint Favorable

S.B. No. 18 (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING SOCIAL SECURITY OFFSETS FOR STATE PENSIONS.

02/23/2006 Joint Favorable Change of Reference to Appropriations

S.B. No. 26 (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING RETIREMENT BENEFITS FOR PUBLIC OFFICIALS OR EMPLOYEES COMMITTING FELONIES ASSOCIATED WITH STATE EMPLOYMENT.

02/23/2006 Joint Favorable Change of Reference to Government Administration and Elections

S.B. No. 27 (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING WORKERS' COMPENSATION BENEFITS FOR HYPERTENSION AND HEART DISEASE FOR FIREFIGHTERS.

02/23/2006 Joint Favorable Change of Reference to Public Safety and Security

Labor and Public Employees (Continued)

S.B. No. 28 (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING COOPERATIVE HEALTH CARE ARRANGEMENTS.

02/23/2006 Joint Favorable Change of Reference to Public Health

Planning and Development

No Committee Actions Reported.

Program Review and Investigations

No Committee Actions Reported.

Public Health

H.B. No. 5045 AN ACT IMPLEMENTING THE GOVERNOR'S BUDGET RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING PUBLIC HEALTH.

02/22/2006 Reserved for Subject Matter Public Hearing

Proposed H.B. No. 5114 AN ACT CONCERNING DEVELOPMENTAL NEEDS OF CHILDREN AND YOUTH WITH CANCER.

02/22/2006 Reserved for Subject Matter Public Hearing

Proposed H.B. No. 5233 AN ACT INCREASING FUNDING FOR BREAST AND CERVICAL CANCER DETECTION AND SCREENING.

02/22/2006 Reserved for Subject Matter Public Hearing

Proposed H.B. No. 5235 AN ACT PROVIDING FUNDING FOR A COMPREHENSIVE CANCER CONTROL PLAN.

02/22/2006 Reserved for Subject Matter Public Hearing

Public Safety and Security

Proposed H.B. No. 5227 AN ACT AUTHORIZING BONDS OF THE STATE FOR THE TOLLAND COUNTY MUTUAL AID FIRE SERVICE.

02/23/2006 Change of Reference to Finance, Revenue and Bonding

Proposed H.B. No. 5228 AN ACT AUTHORIZING BONDS OF THE STATE FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS AT REGIONAL FIRE SCHOOLS.

02/23/2006 Change of Reference to Finance, Revenue and Bonding

Proposed H.B. No. 5396 AN ACT CONCERNING AN INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR MEMBERS OF VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENTS AND AMBULANCE CORPS.

02/23/2006 Change of Reference to Finance, Revenue and Bonding

Public Safety and Security (Continued)

Proposed H.B. No. 5407 AN ACT CONCERNING A TAX ON THE CASINO WINNINGS OF PERSONS FROM OUT OF STATE.

02/23/2006 Change of Reference to Finance, Revenue and Bonding

Proposed S.B. No. 255 AN ACT AUTHORIZING BONDS OF THE STATE FOR A NEW PUBLIC SAFETY COMPLEX FOR THE CITY OF HARTFORD.

02/23/2006 Change of Reference to Finance, Revenue and Bonding

Regulations Review

No Committee Actions Reported.

Select Committee on Aging

No Committee Actions Reported.

Select Committee on Children

No Committee Actions Reported.

Select Committee on Housing

H.B. No. 5107 (COMM) AN ACT CONCERNING THE BEYOND SHELTER PROGRAM.

02/21/2006 Vote to Draft

H.B. No. 5108 (COMM) AN ACT CONCERNING THE RENTAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM.

02/21/2006 Vote to Draft

H.B. No. 5366 (COMM) AN ACT PROVIDING FUNDS TO THE CONNECTICUT HOUSING FINANCE AUTHORITY FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE MORTGAGE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM FOR LOW OR MODERATE INCOME FAMILIES.

02/21/2006 Vote to Draft

H.B. No. 5367 (COMM) AN ACT PROVIDING FUNDS TO THE CONNECTICUT HOUSING FINANCE AUTHORITY FOR THE EMERGENCY MORTGAGE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM.

02/21/2006 Vote to Draft

H.B. No. 5409 (COMM) AN ACT CONCERNING SUPPORTIVE HOUSING FOR CHRONICALLY ILL PATIENTS.

02/21/2006 Vote to Draft

H.B. No. 5456 (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING RENTS SET BY HOUSING AUTHORITIES.

02/21/2006 Vote to Draft

Select Committee on Housing (Continued)

H.B. No. 5458 (RAISED) AN ACT AUTHORIZING BONDS OF THE STATE FOR THE RENOVATION OF MODERATE RENTAL HOUSING IN THE CITY OF HARTFORD.

02/21/2006 Vote to Draft

H.B. No. 5529 (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND STATE HOUSING POLICIES.

02/21/2006 Vote to Draft

S.B. No. 244 (COMM) AN ACT AUTHORIZING BONDS OF THE STATE FOR EDGEWOOD ELM HOUSING IN NEW HAVEN.

02/21/2006 Vote to Draft

S.B. No. 297 (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING THE USE OF THE GENERAL FUND BUDGET SURPLUS FOR THE HOUSING TRUST FUND.

02/21/2006 Vote to Draft

S.B. No. 298 (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING THE GRACE PERIOD FOR RENT PAYMENTS BY HOUSING AUTHORITY TENANTS.

02/21/2006 Vote to Draft

S.B. No. 299 (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING THE HOUSING TAX CREDIT PROGRAM.

02/21/2006 Vote to Draft

S.B. No. 356 (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING INDEPENDENT LIVING FOR SPECIAL NEEDS ELDERLY IN THE CITY OF BRIDGEPORT.

02/21/2006 Vote to Draft

S.B. No. 357 (RAISED) AN ACT INCREASING FUNDING FOR RENTAL ASSISTANCE AND SUPPORTIVE SERVICES FOR ELDERLY AND DISABLED PERSONS.

02/21/2006 Vote to Draft

Select Committee on Veterans' Affairs

Proposed H.B. No. 5404 AN ACT CONCERNING AN EXEMPTION FROM PERSONAL INCOME TAX FOR VETERANS' PENSIONS.

02/22/2006 Change of Reference to Public Safety and Security

Transportation

H.B. No. 5088 (COMM) AN ACT RESTORING FUNDS FOR THE TOWN AID FOR ROADS PROGRAM.

02/22/2006 Vote to Draft

H.B. No. 5117 (COMM) AN ACT CONCERNING DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION HANDICAPPED ACCESS FUNDING FOR THE NORWALK TRANSIT DISTRICT.

02/22/2006 Vote to Draft

Transportation (Continued)

H.B. No. 5226 (COMM) AN ACT AUTHORIZING BONDS OF THE STATE FOR A BRIDGE OVER THE PARK RIVER IN HARTFORD.

02/22/2006 Vote to Draft

H.B. No. 5397 (COMM) AN ACT CONCERNING THE DANBURY TO NORWALK RAIL LINE.

02/22/2006 Vote to Draft

H.B. No. 5398 (COMM) AN ACT AUTHORIZING BONDS OF THE STATE FOR A TOURIST TROLLEY BUS IN HARTFORD.

02/22/2006 Vote to Draft

H.B. No. 5399 (COMM) AN ACT AUTHORIZING BONDS OF THE STATE FOR THE CANNONDALE TRAIN STATION.

02/22/2006 Vote to Draft

H.B. No. 5400 (COMM) AN ACT CONCERNING ADA TRANSPORTATION SERVICES IN THE NORWALK TRANSIT DISTRICT.

02/22/2006 Vote to Draft

H.B. No. 5401 (COMM) AN ACT CONCERNING THE CONSTRUCTING OF SOUND BARRIERS.

02/22/2006 Vote to Draft

H.B. No. 5402 (COMM) AN ACT CONCERNING THE PETROLEUM GROSS EARNINGS TAX.

02/22/2006 Vote to Draft

S.B. No. 256 (COMM) AN ACT CONCERNING INCENTIVES FOR MASS TRANSPORTATION.

02/22/2006 Vote to Draft

S.B. No. 257 (COMM) AN ACT CONCERNING AN INTERMODAL TRANSIT SYSTEM FOR THE SOUTHEASTERN CONNECTICUT COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENT.

02/22/2006 Vote to Draft

S.B. No. 258 (COMM) AN ACT CONCERNING FINES FOR FAILING TO YIELD TO PEDESTRIANS.

02/22/2006 Vote to Draft